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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to a February 27, 2007 Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows: